

Montague Cultural Council  
Subcommittee Meeting re: possible liaison with Town of Montague/ RiverCulture  
December 19, 2017  
Present: Rachel Teumim, Pam Allen, Walter Ramsey, Suzanne LoManto  
2:00-3:00pm

Description of Easthampton model- incrementally phased into current arrangement, Cultural Coordinator started part time, membership grew over time.

Proposed:

- RiverCulture to become part of the Planning Department
- RiverCulture to apply for 501(c)3 status
- RiverCulture oversight committee would consist of Local artists, Business owners and some LCC members
- This committee would have subcommittees to take on various projects, events, grants, etc
- Director of RiverCulture to take on some admin work currently done by LCC
- Committee to meet once per month

Walter and Suzanne to come to next MCC meeting on Feb 4th to discuss further and share how this was received in Town budget discussion.